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BEFORE THE  
**Federal Communications Commission**

WASHINGTON, D. C. 20554

**In the Matter of**

**Amendment of Section 73.202(b)** ) **RM-**  
**Table of Assignments,** )  
**FM Broadcast Stations** ) **MM Docket No.**  
**(Sanford, North Carolina)** )

**To: The Chief, Allocations Branch**  
**Mass Media Bureau**

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**PETITION FOR RULEMAKING**

Woolstone Corporation (Woolstone) pursuant to Section 1.401 and 1.420 (g) of the Commission's Rules, requests that Channel 288A be allocated to Sanford, North Carolina. This would result in the allocation of a second FM service to Sanford, North Carolina.

Woolstone respectfully requests that the Table of FM Allotments in Section 73.202(b) be amended to permit the allocation of new Channel 288A to Sanford, North Carolina as follows:

<u>City, State</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
Sanford, North Carolina	288A	276A, 288A (*)

As demonstrated in the attached engineering statement, Channel 288A can be allocated to Sanford, North Carolina with a minimal site restriction of 13 km west in order to protect Channel 275A, a new allocation in Raleigh, North Carolina. The requested coordinates for the proposed allocation are: Latitude 35-28-00; Longitude 79-22-00.

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\* Site restriction 13 kilometers west of Sanford required.

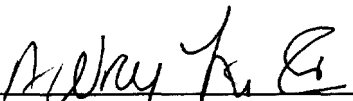
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The public interest supports the grant of this rulemaking request since it will result in allocation of a second FM service to Sanford, North Carolina. No community would lose services as a result of the proposed allocation. On the contrary, allocation of the new channel would result in new radio service to the public.

If this proposed rulemaking is granted and Channel 288A is allocated to Sanford, Woolstone will file an application for a construction permit, and if the application is granted, will promptly construct the station.

Respectfully submitted,

**WOOLSTONE CORPORATION**

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**ENGINEERING EXHIBIT RM:**

Woolstone Corporation  
Petitioner  
Channel 276A  
Sanford, NC

JULY 21, 1995

ENGINEERING STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF A  
PETITION FOR RULE MAKING  
**TO AMEND**  
THE FM TABLE OF ASSIGNMENTS

## NARRATIVE STATEMENT

### I. GENERAL

This engineering statement has been prepared on behalf of Woolstone Corporation. The purpose of this statement is to support a request that the FM Table of Assignments be amended to add Ch. 276A at Sanford, NC.

It should be noted that the area in question is not within 320 kilometers (200 miles) of a U.S. Border and, therefore, foreign concurrence is not required.

### II. ENGINEERING DISCUSSION

#### A. Proposed Site:

We propose a site located at the following coordinates:

Latitude: 35 28 00

Longitude: 79 22 00

or a restriction of > 13 km west of downtown Sanford. Either will provide city grade service.

#### B. Channel Allocation Study:

Figure 1 is a Channel Allocation Study of channel 276A. The study indicates the required separation in kilometers to all known Licenses, Construction Permits, Open Allocations, pending Allocations, and pending Rule Makings

Figure 2 is a map of the resulting arcs indicating minimum separation and a cross hatched area showing area to locate


#### C. Public Interest Showing:

This would be a second allotment to Sanford, NC, adding to the existing Ch 288A which is taken by WFJA. Based upon the above petitioner believes that the requested channel addition is in the Public Interest and therefore, should be granted by the Commission.

### III. SUMMARY

Woolstone Corporation requests that the FM Table of Assignments be amended to as follows:

City	Present	Proposed
Sanford, NC	288A	276A, 288A



Pete E.M. Warren III

July 21, 1995

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## FM CHANNEL SPACING STUDY

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Job title: Sanford, NC

Latitude: 35 28 0

Channel: 276A

Longitude: 79 22 0

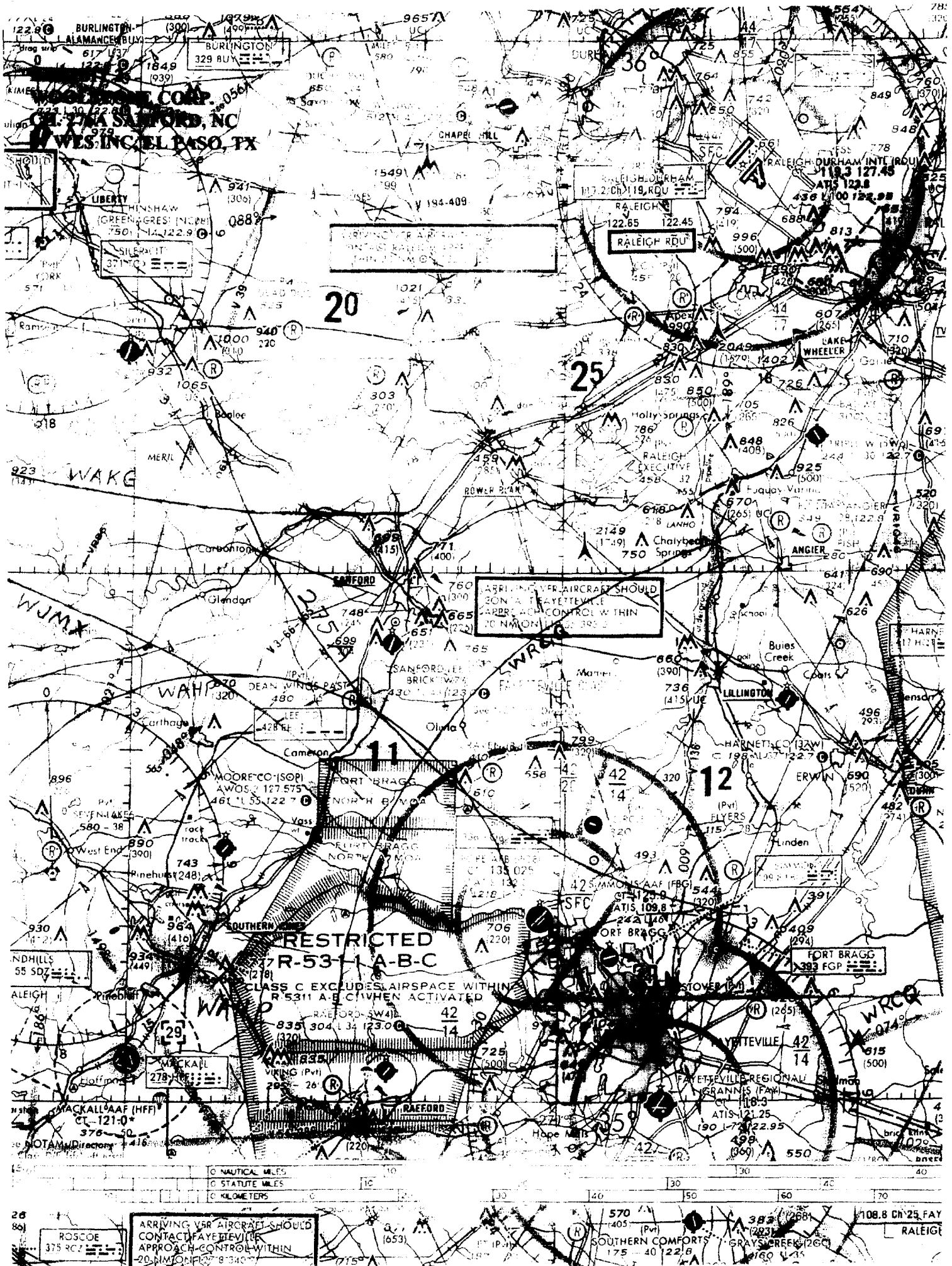
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Pre-1989 Class A spacings?: N  
Reqd.

CH	Call	Record	City	ST	Status	Bear.	Dist.	Dist.	Result
277C1	WKQT	2685	Newport	NC	LIC	98.6	229.6	133.0	
275A	WELSFM	3189	Kinston	NC	LIC	97.0	156.0	72.0	
276A		3196	Alberta	VA	VACANT	39.4	206.5	115.0	
276A	NEW	3211	Alberta	VA	APP	40.1	197.9	115.0	
275A	NEW	3650	Raleigh	NC	APPDID	57.0	77.8	72.0	5.8
278C2	WRCQ	3660	Dunn	NC	LIC	125.0	79.9	55.0	24.9
275A		3692	Raleigh	NC	VACANT	60.0	76.6	72.0	4.6
275A	NEW	3693	Raleigh	NC	APPDID	58.6	79.9	72.0	7.9
275A	NEW	3694	Raleigh	NC	APPDID	57.7	80.2	72.0	8.2
275A	NEW	3695	Raleigh	NC	APPDID	59.9	77.9	72.0	5.9
275A	NEW	3696	Raleigh	NC	APPGID	60.2	77.2	72.0	5.2
273A	WHLQ	3715	Louisburg	NC	LIC	50.5	114.9	31.0	
276C3	WYAKFM	4080	Surfside Beach	SC	LIC	171.8	211.9	142.0	
275A	WSQN	4109	Scranton	SC	LIC	192.5	165.4	72.0	
277C2	WJMXFM	4122	Cheraw	SC	LIC	204.8	117.5	106.0	11.5
222C	WKRR	4159	Asheboro	NC	LIC	314.1	58.7	29.0	29.7
273A	WAHP	4168	Southern Pines	NC	LIC	196.1	36.4	31.0	5.4
277C1	WAKG	4180	Danville	VA	LIC	359.3	141.4	133.0	8.4
279C	WSOCFM	4845	Charlotte	NC	LIC	259.9	125.7	95.0	30.7
275C1	WEZC	5624	Hickory	NC	LIC	268.1	160.2	133.0	27.2

\*\*\*\*\* End of channel 276 study \*\*\*\*\*

**EXHIBIT 1****WOOLSTONE CORP.****CH. 276A SANFORD, NC****by WES INC, EL PASO, TX**



**WAKE COUNTY, NC**  
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ARRIVING VFR AIRCRAFT SHOULD  
CONTACT RALEIGH RDU  
APPROACH CONTROL WITHIN  
20 NM

ARRIVING VFR AIRCRAFT SHOULD  
CONTACT FAYETTEVILLE  
APPROACH CONTROL WITHIN  
20 NM

**RESTRICTED**  
**R-5311 A-B-C**  
CLASS C EXCLUDES AIRSPACE WITHIN  
R-5311 A-B-C WHEN ACTIVATED

ARRIVING VFR AIRCRAFT SHOULD  
CONTACT FAYETTEVILLE  
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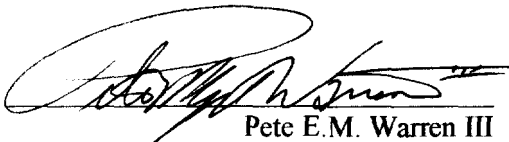
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**DECLARATION**

I, Pete E. M. Warren III, declare and state that I am a Certified Engineer, Class I, Senior, with Master Endorsement radiating and non-radiating, by The National Association of Radio and Telecommunications Engineers, Inc, and my qualifications are a matter of record with the Federal Communications Commission, and that I am an engineer in the firm of WES, Inc, and that firm has been retained by Woolstone Corporation to prepare an engineering statement in support of a Petition to Amend the FM Table of Assignments

All facts contained herein are true to my own knowledge except where stated to be on information or belief, and as to those facts, I believe them to be true. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct



Pete E.M. Warren III

Executed on this 21st day of July, 1995

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Anna Signorelli, in the law offices of Gammon & Grange, hereby certify that I have sent, this 2nd day of August 1995 by first-class, postage-prepaid, U.S. Mail, copies of the foregoing PETITION FOR RULEMAKING to the following:

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